

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

***ONE-HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
2014***

WEEKLY CALENDAR



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER

Week of February 24, 2014

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House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule

Monday

	16	29	30	31
2:00	Finance Budget Hearings			
5:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			

Tuesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00				
8:30				
9:00	INS. & BANKING	STATE		
9:30				
10:00				
10:30	AG & NAT. RES.		CONSUMER&HR	
11:00				
11:30				
12:00	EDUCATION		LOCAL	
12:30				
1:00				
1:30	TRANSPORTATION	B&U Sub	GOV. OP.	
2:00				
2:15				
2:30				
3:00	FINANCE	Health Sub	Ed Sub	Criminal Sub
3:30				
4:00				

Wednesday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
8:30				
9:00	Finance Budget Hearings			
9:30				
10:00				
10:30		FW&M Sub	C&HR Sub	CRIMINAL JUSTICE
11:00				
11:30				
12:00	BUS. & UTILITIES		Local Sub	CIVIL JUSTICE
12:30				
1:00				
1:30	HEALTH	Ag & NR Sub	Trans. Sub	
2:00				
3:00		I&B Sub	State Sub	Civil Sub

Thursday

	16	29	30	31
8:00	C&R (TBA)			
9:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			
	Finance Budget Hearings (immediately following Session)			

* 16, 29, 30, and 31 refer to House Hearing Rooms located in the Legislative Plaza

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Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR16 - 10:30 AM

Halford, Chair; Holt, Vice-Chair;

Bailey, Butt, Floyd, Forgety, Gilmore, Hawk, Johnson G, Lollar, Marsh, Matheny,
McDaniel, Powers, Spivey, Swann, Tidwell, Travis, Windle

[HB 1410](#) by *McCormick, Doss, Holt, Brooks K, Eldridge (SB 1614 by *Norris)

Agriculture - As introduced, defines agriculture to include entertainment activities that occur on land where farm products and nursery stock are produced; requires that the Tennessee Right to Farm Act be construed broadly to effectuate its purposes. - Amends TCA Title 1, Chapter 3, Part 1; Title 43, Chapter 1, Part 1 and Title 43, Chapter 26, Part 1.

[HB 1933](#) by *Forgety (SB 2048 by *Bell)

Environment and Conservation, Department of - As introduced, requires the department of environment and conservation to report to the energy, agriculture and natural resources committee of the senate and to the agriculture and natural resources committee of the house of representatives on each instance where the department acquired private property by eminent domain in the previous year. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 1 and Title 11, Chapter 14.

[HB 2445](#) by *Faison, Casada (SB 2495 by *Niceley)

Agriculture - As introduced, authorizes growing of industrial hemp subject to regulation by the department of agriculture. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 43; Title 53 and Title 67.

[HJR 0663](#) by *Van Huss

Memorials, Government Officials - Urges EPA to respect primacy of Tennessee and other states, and to rely on state regulators to develop performance standards when issuing federal guidelines for regulating carbon dioxide emissions from existing fossil-fueled power plants. -

HR 0146 by *Harwell

Memorials, Congress - Urges Tennessee Congressional Delegation to support certain wildlife management and conservation activities in northwest Tennessee and authorizes creation of a special task force to study and support issues related to such activities. -

HB 2258 by *Holt (SB 2406 by *Gresham)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, revises intent required for the offense of acquiring control over an animal facility to include the intent to deprive the owner of the facility or disrupt the enterprise conducted at such facility; present law requires there be an intent to deprive the owner and to disrupt such enterprise. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 8.

HB 1437 by *McCormick, Halford, Brooks K (SB 1641 by *Norris, Haile)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, revises various provisions governing the structure of certain state boards and commissions attached to the department of environment and conservation. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 11, Part 1; Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 7; Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Title 69, Chapter 10, Part 1.

Business and Utilities Committee

Wednesday, February 26, 2014 - HHR16 - 12:00 PM

Marsh, Chair; Wirgau, Vice-Chair;

Bailey, Calfee, Doss, Goins, Hill T, Lamberth, McCormick, Pody, Powell, Sexton,
Swann, Tidwell, Todd, Towns, White D, Williams K

[HB 0653](#) by *White M, Sargent (SB 0766 by *Ketron, Overbey)

Business and Commerce - As introduced, increases the amount of days a TNInvestco has to cure any areas of noncompliance after an annual review from 60 to 90 days and increases penalty for failure to cure from \$10,000 to \$15,000 per day. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 28.

[HB 1922](#) by *Sexton, Bailey (SB 2070 by *Burks)

Bonding, Surety and Professional - As introduced, exempts commodity dealers and warehousemen from surety bond requirement when full payment is made for commodities purchased at, or prior to, the time such persons accept delivery of the commodities. - Amends TCA Title 43.

[HB 0250](#) by *Lamberth, Forgety (SB 0415 by *Crowe)

Funeral Directors and Embalmers - As introduced, prohibits certain licensees in the funeral services industry from affiliating or engaging in other arrangements with certain health care institutions and organizations. - Amends TCA Title 47; Title 62, Chapter 5 and Title 68.

Civil Justice Committee

Wednesday, February 26, 2014 - HHR31 - 12:00 PM

Lundberg, Chair; Womick, Vice-Chair;

Carter, Coley, DeBerry J, Dennis, Farmer, Haynes, Jones, Stewart

HB 2314 by *Ragan (SB 2418 by *Gresham)

Uniform Laws - As introduced, enacts the "Uniform Deployed Parents Custody and Visitation Act". - Amends TCA Title 36.

HB 1830 by *Carr J (SB 2028 by *Hensley)

Eminent Domain - As introduced, reorganizes existing eminent domain law in Tennessee Code Annotated. - Amends TCA Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 29; Title 42; Title 54; Title 59; Title 64; Title 65; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70.

HB 1546 by *Brooks H (SB 1731 by *Campfield)

Law Enforcement - As introduced, requires the Tennessee peace officer standards and training commission to compile a report on developing and interfacing computer databases so they are accessible to police officers while on patrol allowing officers during lawful stops to serve outstanding court matters on the person; requires the report to be submitted to the judiciary committee of the senate, and the civil justice and criminal justice committees of the house of representatives on or before January 1, 2015; allows jurisdictions that have present capability to do so, to start serving process in that manner and retain the service of process fees for computer enhancement purposes. - Amends TCA Title 16; Title 20; Title 21; Title 29; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 41.

HB 2274 by *Armstrong (SB 2270 by *Yager)

County Clerks - As introduced, authorizes former county clerks of this state who occupied the office of county clerk on or after July 1, 2014, to solemnize the rite of matrimony. - Amends TCA Section 36-3-301.

HB 1501 by *DeBerry J (SB 1483 by *Kelsey, Overbey, Tate)

Privacy, Confidentiality - As introduced, clarifies that family safety center records are subject to the same confidentiality protections as rape crisis center and domestic violence shelter records. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5 and Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6.

HB 1928 by *Goins, Hill T (SB 1674 by *Southerland)

Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, clarifies that a health care professional voluntarily providing health care services to a patient at a clinic that does not charge the patient or a third party receives the same immunity from liability as a health care professional providing services for a sponsoring organization that charges the patient based on a sliding income scale. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 7.

HJR 0582 by *Goins

Memorials, Congress - Urges the Tennessee Congressional delegation to influence the Department of Justice to ensure that the Romeike family is granted asylum. -

HB 1995 by *Coley (SB 1654 by *Kelsey)

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the Tennessee bureau of investigation to update the missing children registry to include information about rescued missing children. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 6, Part 1.

HB 1686 by *Carter, Swann, Keisling, Shipley, Womick, Lynn, Johnson C, Haynes, Marsh, Kane, Hall, Moody, Littleton, Spivey, Hill M, Casada, Williams R, Fitzhugh, Jones, Farmer, Lamberth (SB 1953 by *Gardenhire)

Judgments - As introduced, provides that a civil judgment or restitution order converted to civil judgment is valid until paid in full rather than renewed every 10 years if the judgment is based upon injury or death caused by criminal conduct and the judgment debtor was convicted of a criminal offense for such conduct. - Amends TCA Title 28, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 3.

HB 1809 by *Carter (SB 1930 by *Stevens)

Courts - As introduced, clarifies how court clerks are to define and report criminal case data. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 1 and Title 16, Chapter 2, Part 5.

HB 2358 by *Carter (SB 2075 by *Stevens)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, revives and reconstitutes the judicial nominating commission, which automatically terminated on June 30, 2012, pursuant to §§ 4-29-133(a)(15) and 4-29-112; revises provisions relating to the board of judicial conduct. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 17.

HB 1675 by *Dennis (SB 1506 by *Kelsey)

Malpractice (Other Than Healthcare) - As introduced, establishes a five year statute of repose for actions against an attorney or accountant. - Amends TCA Title 28, Chapter 3.

HB 2359 by *Carter (SB 2448 by *Gardenhire)

Garnishments and Executions - As introduced, prohibits a person from claiming property that was purchased or maintained with funds by fraud or the ownership of which was maintained with funds obtained by fraud, as part of the personal property or homestead exemptions. - Amends TCA Title 26.

HB 1879 by *Dennis (SB 2044 by *Kelsey)

Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, allows person cause of action against seizing agency if person had property seized but no forfeiture warrant issued due to lack of probable cause necessary to issue the warrant. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33, Part 2.

Consumer and Human Resources Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR30 - 10:30 AM

Eldridge, Chair; Pody, Vice-Chair;

Casada, Lynn, McManus, Towns, Turner J, Turner M, White M, Womick

[HB 1763](#) by *McCormick (SB 1936 by *Johnson)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, enacts the "True Origin of Goods Act", to aid consumers in identifying persons who may be offering counterfeit goods on the Internet. - Amends TCA Title 47.

Budget Presentation

Commissioner Burns Phillips

Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Criminal Justice Committee

Wednesday, February 26, 2014 - HHR31 - 10:30 AM

Watson, Chair; Faison, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, Farmer, Gilmore, Hardaway, Lamberth, Parkinson, Rich, Rogers,
Shipley, Van Huss, Weaver

[HB 1742](#) by *Matheny, Sparks (SB 2379 by *Bowling)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, permits expunction of multiple criminal convictions if the convictions are based on the same criminal event and all offenses are eligible for expunction individually. - Amends TCA Section 40-32-101.

[HB 1701](#) by *Lollar (SB 1959 by *Bell)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates offenses of use and possession of certain devices with the intent to commit, aid, or abet any criminal offense. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 1.

[HB 1870](#) by *Coley (SB 1655 by *Kelsey)

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the Tennessee bureau of investigation to develop and provide training regarding human trafficking to law enforcement officers and state personnel in certain departments, agencies and associations. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 4, Chapter 4; Title 38, Chapter 3; Title 38, Chapter 6 and Title 38, Chapter 8.

[HB 1883](#) by *Dennis (SB 1771 by *Bell, Summerville, Green)

Weapons - As introduced, makes lawful the sale, transfer, ownership, possession and transportation of switchblade knives and knives with a blade length in excess of 4 inches; increases from \$3,000 to \$6,000 the maximum fine for possessing a switchblade knife with the intent to employ it during commission of a dangerous felony; creates Class D felony of employing a switchblade knife during commission of a dangerous felony. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

HB 2201 by *Turner M (SB 2086 by *Campfield)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates an offense of photographing or recording the intimate parts of another where the parties agree that the image shall remain private and distributing the image with the intent to cause emotional distress, and the depicted person suffers emotional distress. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13 and Title 39, Chapter 17.

HB 1860 by *Spivey, Marsh (SB 2398 by *Tracy)

Sexual Offenders - As introduced, allows county, metropolitan form of government or municipality to establish a community notification system to notify certain residences, schools and child care centers that a sexual offender or violent sexual offender is residing within a certain distance of such residences, schools and child care centers and authorizes a fee of up to \$50 for each offender in the jurisdiction to defray the notification costs. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 39, Part 2.

HB 2048 by *Gilmore (SB 2149 by *Tate)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, prohibits a private entity that performs criminal background checks from reporting that a person has been convicted of an offense, if the offense has been expunged. - Amends TCA Title 40.

HB 1949 by *Akbari, Camper, Love, Cooper, Towns, Gilmore, Johnson G, Favors (SB 1861 by *Tate)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the fine imposed on a person who commits an assault or an aggravated assault against an elder person. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 47; Title 68 and Title 71.

HB 1704 by *Watson (SB 2242 by *Tracy, Ketron)

Sexual Offenders - As introduced, adds the offense of observation without consent, upon a third or subsequent conviction for that offense or in combination with convictions for indecent exposure, to the definition of "sexual offense" for purposes of sexual offender registration and monitoring. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 39.

HB 2218 by *Weaver, Carr D, Dean, Halford, Keisling, Williams R, Goins, Shipley, Dunn (SB 1695 by *Kelsey, Burks, Overbey, Ketron)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, requires a person who commits aggravated child neglect or endangerment on or after July 1, 2014, to serve 90% of the sentence imposed less sentence credits earned, provided that sentence credits may not reduce the sentence below 75% of the sentence originally imposed. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

HB 2243 by *Weaver (SB 2281 by *Dickerson)

Victims' Rights - As introduced, authorizes the treasurer to provide an annual sponsorship for a remembrance fund for homicide victims not to exceed \$850 from the criminal injuries compensation fund. - Amends TCA Section 29-13-116.

HB 2094 by *Hardaway, Camper (SB 2365 by *Ford)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, adds drug fraud to the crimes for which a person may have the public records of a conviction expunged. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32.

Education Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR16 - 12:00 PM

Brooks H, Chair; Forgety, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, Brooks K, Coley, DeBerry J, Dunn, Kane, Lollar, Love, Moody, Pitts,
White D, White M, Williams R

HB 1668 by *Kane (SB 1773 by *Bell)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, eliminates antiquated language from the definition of home school student for purposes of lottery scholarships and grants so that the definition matches the substantive provisions of law. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9.

HB 1372 by *Johnson C, Pitts, Gilmore (SB 1433 by *Norris)

Veterans - As introduced, allows certain veterans, who are classified as out-of-state students, to pay in-state tuition and fees at public institutions of higher education. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7.

HB 2116 by *Brooks H (SB 1834 by *Gresham)

Education, Higher - As introduced, limits courses state employees can take free of charge at public institutions of higher education under the state employees' fee waiver to 4 credit hours or 120 clock hours courses; allows the use of the fee waiver as partial payment for courses of more than 4 credit hours or 120 clock hours. - Amends TCA Section 8-50-114.

HB 1179 by *Towns (SB 1112 by *Kyle)

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, requires department to utilize scale of 100 percent when reporting progress in the Tennessee report card for schools beginning with the report for the 2013-2014 school year. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 1989 by *White D (SB 2285 by *Dickerson)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, revises the provisions governing the revocation or nonrenewal of a public charter school agreement. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 1929 by *White M (SB 2115 by *Gardenhire)

Education, Higher - As introduced, permits a student at a public institution of higher education to be charged in-state tuition, if the student is a citizen of the United States, has resided in Tennessee for at least one year and has graduated from a Tennessee public secondary school or a private secondary school in this state and approved by the state board of education as a Category 1, 2, or 3 secondary school or earned a Tennessee high school equivalency diploma. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 2348 by *Fitzhugh, Forgety, Pitts, Love (SB 2462 by *Finney)

Education - As introduced, prohibits intentional destruction of imagination library program books intended to be delivered to children enrolled in the program; requires best efforts to deliver books or, in the alternative, to make the books available for pre-kindergarten, kindergarten or elementary programs. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 52, Part 1.

HB 1547 by *Rogers, Moody, Goins, DeBerry J, Shipley, Pody, Ragan, Womick, Floyd, McCormick, Casada, Weaver, Kane, White D, Dean, Brooks K, Evans, Eldridge, Holt, Powers, Hill T, Hill M, Windle, Van Huss, Swann (SB 1793 by *Haile, Summerville)

Education - As introduced, enacts the "Religious Viewpoints Antidiscrimination Act." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 10 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

HB 1906 by *Holt (SB 1425 by *Campfield)

Education - As introduced, allows LEAs to teach the history of traditional winter celebrations; allows students and staff to use traditional greetings of such celebrations; and allows LEAs to display winter celebration scenes or symbols under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 1977 by *Pitts (SB 1611 by *Green)

Education - As introduced, requires any waiver of rules, regulations or policies granted by the Department of Education to be posted on the department's web site within five business days of approval; requires a rationale of the waiver to be included on the web site. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2.

HB 2083 by *Love (SB 1864 by *Tate)

Education - As introduced, requires the department of education to report the number of student referrals by the LEAs to the juvenile court by schools, local school districts, gender and race in the department's annual report. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5; Title 37, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 6; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 1.

HB 1799 by *Swann, Forgety, Fitzhugh, White M, Marsh, Brooks H, Casada (SB 2392 by *Overbey, McNally)

Education, Dept. of - As introduced, revises the reason for which an LEA may apply to the commissioner for a waiver of a state board rule or regulation from "it inhibits or hinders the LEA's ability to implement innovative programs designed to improve student achievement" to "it inhibits or hinders the LEA's ability to meet its goals or comply with its mission". - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1.

HB 2252 by *Casada, Sargent (SB 1724 by *Johnson)

Education - As introduced, redefines the definition of "high performing school district" for purposes of the High Performing School Districts Flexibility Act. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2, Part 7.

HB 2248 by *Casada (SB 2131 by *Johnson)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, prohibits LEAs from including information on the Affordable Care Act in mailings to families of students concerning TennCare and CHIP. - Amends TCA Title 49.

HB 1876 by *Ramsey (SB 1905 by *Overbey)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, allows students who would have qualified for the STEP UP scholarship, if the scholarship had been in effect in 2012-2013, to receive the scholarship as second year students in 2013-2014; provided the students meet the continuation requirements for the scholarship at the end of their first year of study. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-943.

HB 1452 by *Powers (SB 1709 by *Yager)

Education, Higher - As introduced, allows part-time employees of the state university and community college system and the University of Tennessee to enroll in one course per semester at a state supported college or university or state college of applied technology without paying tuition charges or maintenance fees. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 7.

HB 1457 by *Lamberth, Evans, Kane, Love, Hall, White M, Rich, Wirgau, Bailey, Calfee, Shipley (SB 1597 by *Green)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, creates the Tennessee Come Back for Your Future scholarship program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

HB 1500 by *Lundberg (SB 1778 by *Crowe)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, allows a Tennessee student graduating from an out-of-state boarding school that is accredited by a member of the National Association of Independent Schools Commission on Accreditation to be eligible for Tennessee HOPE lottery scholarship, if the student meets all other applicable requirements for the scholarship. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9.

Presentations to be Heard:

Tennessee Board of Regents Update, Chancellor John Morgan

Tennessee Promise Overview, Mark Cate, Chief of Staff, Office of Governor Bill Haslam

Finance, Ways & Means Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR16 - 03:00 PM

Sargent, Chair; Alexander, Vice-Chair;

Armstrong, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Brooks K, Cooper, Fitzhugh, Hall, Harrison, Hawk, Hill M, Johnson C, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Odom, Roach, Shaw

HB 1416 by *McCormick, Carr D, Brooks K (SB 1620 by *Norris, Southerland)

Licenses - As introduced, requires that applicants applying for an initial registration, licensure, or certification as a real estate appraiser submit a full set of fingerprints in order for the Real Estate Commission to conduct a criminal history background check. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 39.

HB 1750 by *Goins (SB 1798 by *Southerland)

Lottery, Charitable - As introduced, extends deadline for applications for 2014-2015 annual events for three days after effective date of act. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 17, Part 1.

HB 1523 by *Haynes (SB 1715 by *Yager)

Election Laws - As introduced, revises various election law provisions. - Amends TCA Section 2-19-107; Section 2-2-107; Section 2-2-109; Section 2-2-201; Section 2-3-109; Section 2-3-204; Section 2-4-106; Section 2-5-102; Section 2-5-106; Section 2-6-103 and Section 40-20-113.

HB 1429 by *McCormick, Lamberth, Brooks K, Watson, Shipley, Akbari, Faison, Hardaway, Rogers, Jernigan (SB 1633 by *Norris, Overbey)

Sentencing - As introduced, permits judge, as a condition of probation, to order a 2nd or 3rd time DUI offender to participate in an inpatient or intensive outpatient substance abuse treatment program following a clinical substance abuse assessment and awards sentence reduction credits for treatment days. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 3 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4.

HB 1743 by *Matheny (SB 1759 by *Ketron)

Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils - As introduced, includes propane powered motor vehicles as energy efficient vehicles for purposes of meeting energy efficiency requirements and incentivizing the establishment of propane fueling infrastructure. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 67.

HB 1415 by *McCormick, Rogers, Brooks K (SB 1619 by *Norris, Bowling)

Prisons and Reformatory Institutions - As introduced, requires criminal records history checks for prospective employees of the Tennessee corrections institute. - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 7.

HB 1438 by *McCormick, Shipley, Brooks K, Hardaway (SB 1643 by *Norris, Beavers)

DUI Offenses - As introduced, eliminates the exception for certain employees to the ignition interlock installation requirement; clarifies provisions regarding the issuance and use of a restricted license in conjunction with an ignition interlock device. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11; Title 40, Chapter 33; Title 50; Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4 and Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 5.

HB 2424 by *Spivey (SB 1821 by *Bowling)

Taxes, Inheritance Gift - As introduced, for tax years 2014 and 2015, annually raises the gross amount of a small estate that is below the statutory exemption and is not required to file a short form inheritance tax return. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 8.

Monday, February 24, 2014

Tennessee State Museum

Ms. Lois Riggins-Ezzell, Executive Director

Tennessee Arts Commission

Ms. Anne Pope, Executive Director

Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations

Ms. Lynnis Roehrich-Patrick, Executive Director

Tuesday, February 25, 2014

Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation

Ms. Rebecca Hargrove, President and CEO

Post-Conviction Defender

Ms. Justyna Garbaczewska Scalpone, Executive Director

Wednesday, February 26, 2014

Tennessee Higher Education Commission

Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation

Dr. Richard Rhoda, Executive Director

University of Tennessee

Dr. Joe DiPietro, President

Tennessee Board of Regents

Mr. John Morgan, Chancellor

Tennessee Foreign Language Institute

Ms. Janice Snow Rodriguez, Executive Director

Thursday, February 27, 2014

Health Services and Development Agency

Ms. Melanie Hill, Executive Director

Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

Mr. Doug Varney, Commissioner

Department of Human Services

Dr. Raquel Hatter, Commissioner

Government Operations Committee Consent Calendar

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR30 - 01:30 PM

Matheny, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;

Carr J, Casada, Evans, Fitzhugh, Halford, Hardaway, Johnson C, McCormick,
Turner J, Turner M

[HB 1614](#) by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1573 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 70, Chapter 1.

[HB 1618](#) by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1574 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee heritage conservation trust fund board of trustees, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 11, Chapter 7.

[HB 1619](#) by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1584 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the wastewater financing board, June 30, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 10.

[HB 1620](#) by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1547 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the local education insurance committee, June 30, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 8, Chapter 27, Part 3.

[HB 1641](#) by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1569 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee corrections institute, board of control, June 30, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 41, Chapter 7, Part 1.

[HB 1672](#) by *Matheny (SB 1769 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of intellectual and developmental disabilities, June 30, 2018; clarifies requirements for background checks on persons who apply to work with persons receiving developmental disability services. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 33, Chapter 2.

[HB 2204](#) by *Matheny (SB 2390 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the council on children's mental health care, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 37, Chapter 3, Part 1.

Government Operations Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR30 - 01:30 PM

Matheny, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;

Carr J, Casada, Evans, Fitzhugh, Halford, Hardaway, Johnson C, McCormick,
Turner J, Turner M

HB 2090 by *McDaniel (SB 2346 by *Ketron)

State Government - As introduced, extends sunset date for Tennessee War of 1812 Bicentennial Commission from June 30, 2015, to November 30, 2015. - Amends Chapter 35 of the Public Acts of 2013.

HB 1528 by *Haynes, Ragan, Casada, Evans (SB 1691 by *Massey, Crowe, Burks, Beavers, Bell, Bowling, Campfield, Dickerson, Finney, Ford, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Henry, Hensley, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, McNally, Niceley, Norris, Overbey, Southerland, Stevens, Summerville, Tate, Tracy, Watson, Yager, Ramsey)

State Employees - As introduced, creates the three stars of Tennessee award and an advisory committee that selects and awards peace officers, firefighters, and medical first responders killed or injured in the line of duty. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1.

HB 1242 by *Johnson C, DeBerry J (SB 1360 by *Johnson)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of financial institutions to enforce title 47 against any entity regulated by the commissioner. - Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 47.

HB 1633 by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1538 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the domestic violence state coordinating council, June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 12, Part 1.

HB 1640 by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 1566 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee board of judicial conduct, June 30, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 17, Chapter 5, Part 2.

HB 1730 by *Matheny (SB 1893 by *Bell)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, merges the board of barber examiners and the board of cosmetology into the newly created state board of cosmetology and barber examiners; restructures appointing authority to include governor and both speakers. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4.

HB 2350 by *Matheny, Ragan (SB 2062 by *Bell)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the department of human services, June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 1; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 12 and Title 71, Chapter 1.

Health Committee

Wednesday, February 26, 2014 - HHR16 - 01:30 PM

Ramsey, Chair; Williams R, Vice-Chair;

Dennis, Doss, Favors, Harrison, Hill T, Jernigan, Johnson G, Littleton, Odom, Rich, Sexton, Shepard, Shipley, Turner M, Van Huss, Wirgau

[HB 1426](#) by *McCormick, Dunn, Brooks K, Ramsey (SB 1630 by *Norris, McNally, Burks, Yager)

Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, authorizes certain health care providers to place a copy of a patient's controlled substances database report in the patient's medical record; authorizes controlled substances database committee to disclose certain aggregate unidentifiable personal data from the database for educational outreach purposes. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 3.

[HB 1428](#) by *McCormick, Littleton, Brooks K (SB 1632 by *Norris, Haile)

Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, revises pharmacy practices of local health departments; grants commissioner of health certain rulemaking authority. - Amends TCA Section 63-10-205.

[HB 2104](#) by *Haynes (SB 2256 by *Massey)

Mental Illness - As introduced, extends pilot project for assisted outpatient treatment for two years until June 30, 2016. - Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 6, Part 6.

[HB 2398](#) by *Halford (SB 2521 by *Bell)

Food and Food Products - As introduced, redefines "temporary food service establishment" to include an establishment that operates at a fixed location in conjunction with an organized temporary event that lasts for more than one day and not more than fourteen consecutive days, for the purpose of regulating such establishments by the department of health; present law defines the establishment as one that operates at a fixed location for a period of not more than fourteen consecutive days. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 8, Part 2; Title 68, Chapter 14, Part 3; Title 68, Chapter 14, Part 7 and Chapter 182 of the Public Acts of 2013.

HB 2132 by *Ragan (SB 2539 by *McNally)

Health, Dept. of - As introduced, removes the termination date of the department of health's pilot program authorizing county clerks to issue certified copies of birth certificates; deletes the provision making the pilot program applicable to only certain counties. - Amends TCA Section 68-3-206.

HB 1788 by *Faison, Kane (SB 1886 by *Gresham)

Health Care - As introduced, sets specific requirements for various health care providers to provide information on infant cardiopulmonary resuscitation at certain times. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 5.

HB 1920 by *Evans (SB 2292 by *Summerville)

Health, Dept. of - As introduced, clarifies that the issuance, execution or revocation of organ donation consent forms and advance directives are voluntary acts. - Amends TCA Title 32, Chapter 11 and Title 68.

HB 1383 by *Sexton (SB 1445 by *Dickerson)

Health Care - As introduced, adds administration of insulin to medications school personnel may volunteer to administer. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5.

HB 1656 by *Sexton (SB 1768 by *Burks)

Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, authorizes the certification of registered nurse first assistants. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 7.

HB 0555 by *Dennis, Faison, Durham, Littleton, Shepard, Goins (SB 0220 by *Overbey)

Optometry - As introduced, deletes the exemption to the prohibition on optometrists practicing in a retail store or other commercial establishment for optometrist who practiced in the retail or commercial establishment prior to April 17, 1967. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 8.

HB 1494 by *Williams R (SB 1502 by *Green)

Medical Occupations - As introduced, adds certain physician assistants to those designated professionals authorized to perform the duties of a physician under portions of involuntary admission to inpatient mental health treatment statute. - Amends TCA Title 33.

[HB 1495](#) by ***Williams R (SB 1782 by *Crowe)**

Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, enables community mental health centers to employ physicians. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 6.

[HB 1467](#) by ***Ramsey, Rich, Pitts, Lollar, Brooks H, Eldridge, Evans, Littleton, Johnson G (SB 1600 by *Crowe, Massey, Niceley, Haile, Overbey)**

Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities - As introduced, requires persons with intellectual disabilities on the waiting list for services to be enrolled in the self-determination waiver when their caregivers attain the age of 75. - Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 5.

Presentation on Graduate Medical Education

Insurance and Banking Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR16 - 09:00 AM

McManus, Chair; Keisling, Vice-Chair;

Casada, Durham, Favors, Fitzhugh, Johnson C, Kane, Love, Lundberg, Lynn,
Matlock, Pitts, Powers, Ragan, Sargent, Shepard, Travis

HB 1550 by *Harrison (SB 1478 by *Johnson)

Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, removes prohibition that only a depository institution may own an electronic cash dispensing machine. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 2.

HB 1423 by *McCormick, Dennis, Brooks K (SB 1627 by *Norris, Stevens)

Trusts - As introduced, separates the state trust company formation process from the process for chartering a new state bank and addresses statutory requirements regarding state trust company governance and operations. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 1 and Title 45, Chapter 2.

HB 1424 by *McCormick, Brooks K (SB 1628 by *Norris, Green)

Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, makes various changes concerning the regulation of non-depository financial institutions. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 1; Title 45, Chapter 13; Title 45, Chapter 15; Title 45, Chapter 17; Title 45, Chapter 18; Title 45, Chapter 5 and Title 56, Chapter 37.

HB 1539 by *Brooks K (SB 1486 by *Bell)

Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, allows industrial loan and thrift companies to charge a convenience fee for accepting payment through electronic means. - Amends TCA Section 45-5-403.

HB 1265 by *Brooks K, Williams R, Keisling, Casada, Shepard, Favors, Johnson C, Ragan, Powers, Pitts, Kane, Hawk, Forgety, Matlock, Durham, Carr D, Fitzhugh, Johnson G, Farmer, Love, Brooks H, Coley, Spivey, Faison, Eldridge, White M, Jernigan, Shaw, Turner M (SB 1286 by *Tracy, Massey, Burks, Tate, Yager, Gresham, Kyle, Ketron, Green, Crowe, Ramsey, Niceley)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires health insurance policies to cover screening, diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23.

[HB 0926](#) by *Casada, Durham (SB 1142 by *Green, Norris)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, establishes and revises requirements involving utilization review of preauthorizations for health care services. - Amends TCA Title 56.

BUDGET HEARING: Department of Commerce & Insurance

Local Government Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR30 - 12:00 PM

Hill M, Chair; Floyd, Vice-Chair;

Carr D, Carr J, Dean, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Hall, Holt, Jones, Miller,
Mitchell, Parkinson, Sparks, Stewart

HB 2142 by *McCormick (SB 2315 by *McNally)

Housing - As introduced, authorizes home rule municipalities and counties with a metropolitan form of government to participate in the Tennessee Local Land Bank pilot program. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 30, Part 1.

HB 2371 by *Carter, Carr J, Casada, Rogers, Van Huss, Spivey, Shipley, Hall, Matheny, Lynn, Hill T, Butt, Matlock, Calfee, White M, Doss, Faison, Rich, Keisling, Holt, Dunn, Sanderson, Pody, Durham, Williams K, Todd, Sparks, Haynes, Ragan, Shepard, Dean, McCormick, Sexton, Bailey, Coley, Travis, Kane, Forgety, Alexander, Lollar, Weaver, Hill M, Halford, Hawk, Watson, Littleton, McManus, Floyd, Lamberth, Odom, Love, White D, Moody, Dennis, Brooks H, DeBerry J, Powers, Brooks K, Farmer, Womick, Evans (SB 2464 by *Watson, Kelsey, McNally)

Annexation - As introduced, abolishes annexation by ordinance at the initiative of the municipality. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51 and Title 6, Chapter 58.

HB 1727 by *Brooks H (SB 1466 by *Norris)

Election Laws - As introduced, decreases the number of signatures required to establish a recognized minor party solely in one county and for certain special elections; revises other related provisions. - Amends TCA Section 2-13-107(f); Title 2, Chapter 14, Part 1 and Section 2-13-107(a).

HB 1740 by *Williams K (SB 2433 by *Crowe)

Recreational Areas - As introduced, authorizes certain counties to create recreation boards to be composed of nine members representing each civil district within such counties in lieu of present law requirement that boards be composed of five members, with up to two school staff members. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 24, Part 1.

HB 2078 by *White M (SB 1795 by *Norris)

County Government - As introduced, authorizes the county legislative body to determine that no bid may be made on certain non-buildable or nonconforming parcels when land must be sold on behalf of governmental entities for payment of delinquent county taxes. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-2506.

HB 1916 by *Evans (SB 1901 by *Haile)

Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes the county election commissions in counties that share a municipality to designate, by agreement, a polling place and early voting location within the limits of the municipality but outside the boundaries of one of the respective counties; authorizes voters residing within the limits of a municipality that is located within two counties to vote at the location established by such agreement. - Amends TCA Title 2.

HB 2477 by *Keisling (SB 2579 by *Yager)

School Districts, Special - As introduced, changes the debt service tax rate for the Oneida special school district from 70 cents per one hundred dollars of assessed value of property as set in 1990 and adjusted subsequently pursuant to general law to 51 cents; maintains the present operational tax rate at 27 cents. - Amends Chapter 178 of the Private Acts of 1975; as amended.

HB 2293 by *Durham, Kane, Littleton, Floyd, Casada, DeBerry J, Sparks, Butt, Matheny, Hill M, Moody, White D, Carter, Holt, Spivey, Eldridge (SB 2525 by *Bell)

Local Government, General - As introduced, revises the provisions governing altering or revising the budget of the county department of education. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 49.

HB 1530 by *Carr D (SB 1720 by *Green)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, allows county mayors to require training of county board of equalization members and hearing officers; restates notice procedures regarding property tax appeals; permits electronic notification and recordation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 1, Part 4 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

HB 1833 by *Carr J (SB 2180 by *Campfield)

Election Laws - As introduced, requires candidates in primaries to receive more than fifty-percent of the vote to be nominated; if no candidate receives the majority of votes, provides for a runoff election between candidates who received the highest number of votes. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 13; Title 2, Chapter 17; Title 2, Chapter 3; Title 2, Chapter 5; Title 2, Chapter 7 and Title 2, Chapter 8.

HB 2224 by *Hill M (SB 2432 by *Crowe)

County Officers - As introduced, permits constables to post and mail detainer summonses in addition to sheriffs and deputy sheriffs. - Amends TCA Section 29-18-115.

State Government Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR29 - 09:00 AM

Haynes, Chair; Butt, Vice-Chair;

Evans, Jernigan, Moody, Powell, Ramsey, Sanderson, Shaw, Spivey, Todd,
Watson, Williams K

HB 1369 by *Johnson C, Carter (SB 1431 by *Green, Crowe, Kyle, Ford, Bell, Burks, Overbey, Yager)

State Symbols - As introduced, designates the Honor and Remember flag as the official state symbol of remembrance to honor fallen military service members. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

HB 2255 by *McCormick, Evans, McDaniel, Haynes, Lundberg, Swann, Armstrong, Coley, Sargent, Brooks K, Watson, McManus, Powell, Moody, Harrison, Cooper, Favors, Shaw, Camper, Casada, Hawk, Alexander, DeBerry J, Williams K, Eldridge, Johnson C, Keisling, Williams R, Forgety, Spivey, Faison, Dunn, Butt, Parkinson, Ramsey, Wirgau, Sanderson, Shipley, Hall, Akbari, Littleton, Doss, Powers, Carr D, Carter, Matheny, Bailey, Sexton, Turner M, Odom, Dean, Jernigan, Marsh, Calfee, Matlock, Rich, Womick, White M, Dennis, Floyd, Towns, Gilmore (SB 2407 by *Norris, Gardenhire, Kelsey, Overbey, Harper, Crowe, Gresham, Dickerson, Watson, Bowling, Niceley, McNally, Johnson, Massey, Green, Ketron, Stevens, Hensley, Southerland, Yager, Ford, Henry, Tate)

Emergency Communications Districts - As introduced, enacts the "911 Funding Modernization and IP Transition Act of 2014". - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 86; Section 9-8-307; Title 29, Chapter 20 and Title 65.

HB 2406 by *Turner M (SB 2482 by *Johnson)

Alcohol Offenses, Sales - As introduced, clarifies that art galleries that serve wine to patrons must not serve wine to persons less than twenty-one years old. - Amends TCA Title 57.

HB 2405 by *Turner M (SB 2486 by *Dickerson)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, expands definition of "urban park center" for purposes of on-premises consumption; expands definition of "sports authority facility" to include minor, as well as major, baseball leagues for purposes of on-premises consumption. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4.

HB 1957 by *Sargent (SB 2324 by *McNally)

Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, establishes an administrative committee and investment committee of the TCRS board of trustees; revises other various provisions governing public employee benefits. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 25; Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36; Title 8, Chapter 37 and Title 8, Chapter 38.

HB 1748 by *Hill M, Dennis, Mitchell, Eldridge, Doss, Pitts, Matlock, Hawk, Coley, Keisling, Kane, Calfee, Faison, Harrison, Carr D, Ramsey, Farmer, Hill T, Shaw, Johnson G, Windle, Swann, Van Huss, Stewart, Jernigan, Rogers, Fitzhugh, Holt, Sexton, Williams K, Turner M, Tidwell, Cooper, Odom, Shepard, Powell, Gilmore, Miller, Armstrong, DeBerry J, Turner J, Akbari, Love, Bailey (SB 1997 by *Yager, Gardenhire, Hensley, Southerland)

State Employees - As introduced, prohibits layoffs in excess of 10 employees if not approved in the state budget unless the general assembly approves the layoffs. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30.

HB 1398 by *Carter, Keisling, Casada, McManus, McCormick, Lollar, Weaver, McDaniel, Durham, Holt, Travis, Powers, Alexander, Hill M, Farmer, Halford, Hill T, Van Huss, Spivey, Hall, Shipley, Williams R, Dean, Pody, Ragan, Goins, Womick, Carr J, Faison, Kane, Hawk, Sexton, Littleton, Lynn, Butt, Rich, Dennis, White D, Ramsey, Haynes, Floyd, Dunn, Rogers, Eldridge, Calfee, Swann, Wirgau (SB 1836 by *Watson, Ketron)

Bonds and Undertakings, Regulation of - As introduced, prohibits expenditure of state funds to pay the public indebtedness of any municipality. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 56; Title 9, Chapter 1; Title 9, Chapter 3; Title 9, Chapter 4 and Title 9, Chapter 21.

HJR 0641 by *Williams R, Forgety, Van Huss, Ragan, Sargent, Camper, Shepard, Fitzhugh, Lundberg, DeBerry J, Alexander, Halford, Spivey, Matheny, Goins, Calfee, Shipley, Rogers

Naming and Designating - Designates "Home To Stay" by late Jasper N. Bailey as state veterans poem. -

HB 1496 by *McCormick, Coley, Brooks K (SB 1750 by *Norris, Ketron)

Private Protective Services - As introduced, authorizes commissioner of safety to commission private armed guards as state facility protection officers for state buildings in Davidson County. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 20.

HB 2463 by *Lollar (SB 2513 by *Niceley)

General Assembly - As introduced, authorizes the members of the general assembly to administer the official oath of office for any local public official. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 3; Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 8.

HB 2443 by *Pody (SB 2442 by *Beavers, Ketron)

State Symbols - As introduced, makes "Sandy," an ancient stone statue, the official state artifact. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1.

HB 2256 by *Alexander (SB 2109 by *Bowling)

County Boundaries - As introduced, establishes a new boundary line between Franklin County and Marion County. -

HB 2152 by *Armstrong, Shaw (SB 1805 by *Stevens, Ketron)

Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) - As introduced, permits TEMA and broadcasters to develop comprehensive plans for preparing for and responding to an emergency or disaster; permits emergency response broadcasters to access an area affected by an emergency to restore communications and transmit public information. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 2.

HB 1909 by *Todd, Durham (SB 2059 by *Bowling)

State Government - As introduced, exempts the state from daylight saving time. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 4.

HB 1910 by *Todd (SB 1822 by *Bowling)

Police - As introduced, beginning on January 1, 2015, requires the amount of the present police pay supplement of \$600 to be increased annually to reflect inflation. - Amends TCA Section 9-4-204 and Section 38-8-111.

HJR 0593 by *Hardaway, Shaw

General Assembly, Studies - Creates a special committee to study the development of a pilot program to assist former law enforcement personnel. -

HB 1829 by *Hill T (SB 1932 by *Bell)

Claims Commission, Tennessee - As introduced, establishes that claims against the Doe Mountain recreation authority, its directors, officers, employees and volunteers shall fall within the jurisdiction of the claims commission. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 42, Part 1; Title 9, Chapter 8 and Title 11, Chapter 25, Part 1.

HB 1840 by *Lamberth (SB 1921 by *Yager)

Lottery, Charitable - As introduced, revises certain provisions of the Tennessee Charitable Gaming Implementation Law. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 17.

HB 1751 by *Moody (SB 1920 by *Yager)

Charitable Solicitations - As introduced, creates a charitable advisory council to assist the secretary of state concerning issues related to charities. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 101.

HB 2155 by *Ramsey (SB 2097 by *Southerland)

Clerks, Court - As introduced, deletes the exemptions for Shelby and Knox counties regarding the statutory maximum fee a court clerk may charge for computer searches for any public record having commercial value; limits all court clerks statewide to charging no more than \$5.00 for such searches. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21, Part 4.

HJR 0579 by *Ramsey

General Assembly, Directed Studies - Directs the Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations to study allowing private communities and homeowner's associations to share in the distribution of the gasoline tax. -

HB 1662 by *Williams K (SB 1784 by *Crowe)

State Symbols - As introduced, designates the Watauga Fife and Drum Corps as the official state fife and drum corps. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

HB 2490 by *Evans, Carr D, Faison, Hill T, Sanderson, Windle, Williams K, Tidwell, Keisling, Roach, Powers, Bailey, Dennis, Travis, Littleton, Miller, Shepard, Hill M, Weaver, Turner M, Pody (SB 2588 by *Bowling)

Firefighters - As introduced, enacts the "Firefighter Training Act of 2014". - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 7; Title 8 and Title 68.

HJR 0540 by *Butt

Memorials, Recognition - Recognizes February 10, 1954, as the anniversary of the addition of the words, "under God," to the United States Pledge of Allegiance. -

HJR 0552 by *Butt

Naming and Designating - State Constitution Day, February 6th. -

HB 1951 by *Sanderson (SB 1653 by *Yager)

Building Commission, State - As introduced, clarifies that plans are not required to be submitted prior to approval when real property contracts are awarded after the commission approves the utilization of an alternative delivery method. - Amends TCA Section 4-15-102.

HB 2027 by *Haynes, Sanderson (SB 2415 by *Bowling)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes a winery or farm wine permit holder to conduct business at satellite locations; establishes a small winery wholesalers license; allows a winery, farm wine permit holder, manufacturer or retailer store to charge for samples; limits size of wine samples. - Amends TCA Title 57.

Transportation Committee

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - HHR16 - 01:30 PM

Dean, Chair; Sparks, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Armstrong, Camper, Carr D, Cooper, Dunn, Goins, Keisling, Littleton,
Matlock, Mitchell, Roach, Rogers, Sanderson, Weaver, Windle

HB 1497 by *McCormick (SB 1639 by *Norris, Ketron)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases the fines for failure to use safety belts; designates a portion of the revenue from the fines to the division of vocational rehabilitation, and a portion to the state general fund. - Amends TCA Section 55-9-603.

HB 1709 by *Dunn (SB 1850 by *Campfield)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, exempts vehicles that tow disabled tractors, trailers, or tractor-trailer combinations, from the maximum length limits if they tow the over length vehicle to an exit or a repair or terminal facility, instead of to the nearest exit or suitable repair or terminal facility located within 100 miles of the disablement; revises provisions pertaining to verification of ownership of towed vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 16 and Title 55, Chapter 7, Part 2.

HB 1647 by *Hill T, Turner M, Fitzhugh, Windle, Williams R, Keisling, Spivey, Sanderson, Watson, Faison, Dennis, Sexton, Forgety, Matlock, McDaniel (SB 1679 by *Yager)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, enacts the "Rural Bridge Relief Act of 2014" for fiscal years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016; authorizes economically distressed counties to use an unexpended balance of state-aid bridge grant funds to pay the local share of project costs required by present law. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 11, Part 2 and Title 54, Chapter 4.

HB 1487 by *Bailey, Dean (SB 1688 by *Niceley, Bowling)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, allows any county that has imposed or imposes a wheel tax to either exempt antique vehicle owners from liability for the tax or require antique vehicle owners to pay the tax on a one-time only basis in lieu of paying the tax annually. - Amends TCA Section 5-8-102 and Section 55-4-111.

HB 1863 by *Spivey (SB 1947 by *Niceley)

Municipal Government - As introduced, requires certain municipalities authorized to patrol portions of national interstate highways within the territorial limits of the municipalities to use marked law enforcement vehicles when enforcing rules of the road and removes the ability of certain municipalities to enforce such rules of the road. - Amends TCA Title 55.

HB 2296 by *Pitts (SB 2402 by *Green)

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, changes the requirement for county clerks to remit fees associated with titling and registration the same day the application is filed to a monthly requirement. - Amends TCA Title 55.

Presentations on School Buses
Will Be Heard After the Regular Calendar